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Subject: H.B. No. 6656 (RAISED) INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE - AN ACT CONCERNING
LIABILITY INSURANCE FOR FIREARM POSSESSORS OR OWNERS

Good evening members of The Insurance and Real Estate Committee,

I write you to let you know that I am completely opposed to H.B. 6656.

The idea that requiring insurance would prevent "gun violence" is absolutely preposterous. I defy anyone to produce documentation that would support such an absurd premise.

Instead of punishing law abiding firearms owners, why isn't Connecticut working to enforce current laws?

This bill is nothing but a punitive measure designed to render gun ownership financially unattainable. It does nothing to protect the public. It is merely a poorly disguised, blatant attempt to prevent as many Connecticut citizens as possible from being able to exercise their right to hunt, participate in competitions and most importantly self-defense.

Regards,

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